GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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DISTRICT PRIMARY EDUCATION PROGRAMME IN UTTAR PRADESH
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether District Primary Education Programme is being implemented in Uttar Pradesh;

(b) if so, names of districts where this Programme is being implemented;

(c) whether the Government have reviewed the progress of this Programme;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) if not, the reasons therefore?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DR. MURLI MANOHAR JOSHI)

(a) Yes sir.

(b) DPEP is being implemented in the following districts of Uttar Pradesh: Bareilly, Sidhartnagar, Gonda, Badaui, Lakhimpur Kheri, Philibhit, Basti, Maharajganj, Muradabad, Lalitpur, Sonbadhra, Shahjahanpur, Deoria, Hardoi, Firozabad, Bahraich, Barabanki, Balrampur, Santkabir Nagar, Jyotibaphule Nagar, Shrawasti, Rampur, Unnao, Kanpur Dehat, Sultanpur, Raibarreli,Pratapgarh, Hamirpur, Jaunpur, Mirzapur, Fatehpur, Farrukhabad, Faizabad, Ambedkar Nagar, Etah, Bijnour, Bulandshasher, Muzaffernagar, Jhansi, Jalaun, Ghaziabad, Gautam Budh Nagar,Meerut, Baghpat, Agra, Mathura, Badrauna, Mau, Azamgarh, Balia, Ghazipur, Kannauj, Mahoba and Mainpuri.

(c) Yes sir. The programme progress is reviewed by Joint Review Mission (JRM) every six months. It was last reviewed by the JRM in April-May 2001.

(d) Major activities undertaken include:-

(i) Construction of 2381 school buildings has been completed. 4308 additional classrooms have been built, drinking facilities have been provided to 2356 schools.

(ii) New text books have been prepared for classes I to V.

(iii) Third round of teacher training for the first phase of the DPEPprogramme and first round of round for second phase of DPEP programme have been started.

(iv) Activities such as micro planning and community mobilization have been undertaken.

(e) Does not arise.